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Re: Lower Passaic River/OU-2 Remedial Design: Statement of Work Issues

Dear Juan:

As noted in my prior letter to you of May 17, 2016, this letter provides a partial list of unanswered questions from the May 12<sup>th</sup> OU-2 Remedial Design Statement of Work (“SOW”) meeting held at U.S. EPA Region 2’s offices with my clients: Occidental Chemical Corporation (“OxyChem”), Maxus Energy Corporation (“Maxus”), and Tierra Solutions, Inc. (“Tierra”).

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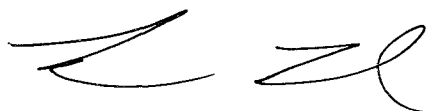
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Exemption 7(A) Please do not hesitate to contact me at any time should you have any questions; I am available to discuss this letter at your convenience.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'B. Lippard', written in a cursive style.

Benjamin S. Lippard

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